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The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire
Chief Clerk & Administrator
The Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive (29210)
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Re: Docket No. 2012-136-C: Office of Regulatory Staff Petition to Review FCC
Mandated Reductions to Intrastate Access Tariffs

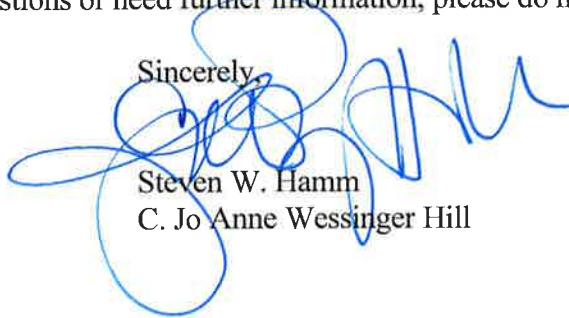
Dear Madame Clerk:

Please find attached for filing a Petition to Intervene on behalf of Frontier Communications of the Carolinas, Inc. ("Frontier") in the above referenced matter.

By copy of the same, we are serving all parties of record with a copy of this pleading as indicated on the Certificate of Service.

If you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,



Steven W. Hamm
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Enclosure

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